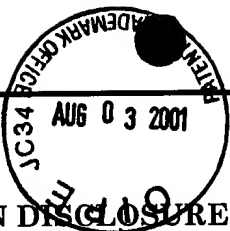


FORM PTO-1449



# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Attorney Docket Number	41253/WPC/P526
Application Number	09/829,715
Filing Date	April 10, 2001
Applicant(s)	William R. Crumly
Group Art Unit	1772
Examiner Name	Not yet known

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS	DOCUMENT NUMBER	ISSUE DATE	PATENTEE	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
IBP	4,368,281	01/1983	Brummett et al.	<del>523</del>	<del>458</del>	
IBP	4,756,940	07/1988	Payne et al.	<del>528</del>	<del>78</del>	
IBP	5,207,887	05/1993	Crumly et al.	<del>205</del>	<del>78</del>	
IBP	5,262,590	11/1993	Lia	<del>174</del>	<del>36</del>	

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY OR PATENT OFFICE	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article, title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.

EXAMINER SIGNATURE	ISHWAR B. PADEL	DATE CONSIDERED	9/10/02
--------------------	-----------------	-----------------	---------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

WPC/mlm

MLM IRV1046430.1\*-7/31/01 12:13 PM